AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (Currently Amended) A compound of the formula Z:

$$R_{6}$$
 R_{7}
 R_{1}
 R_{2}
 R_{5}
 R_{4}

where;

A is CH or N;

R₁ is a substituent to a carbon atom in the ring containing A selected from

 $-S(=O)_pRa$,

where Ra is -C₁-C₄ alkyl, -ORx, -NRxRx, -NHNRxRx, -NHNHC(=O)ORx, -NRxOH;

-C(=O)-Rb,

where Rb is -C₁-C₄-alkyl, ORx, -NRxRx, -NHNRxRx,

 $-NHC_1-C_3$ -alkyl-C(=O)ORx;

-NRxRc,

where Rc is H, C_1 - C_4 alkyl, -NRxRx; -C(=O)Rd, -CN, S(=O)_pRx where Rd is C_1 - C_4 -alkyl, -ORx, -NRxRx

 $-C_1-C_3$ -alkyl-O-C1-C3alkylC(=O)ORx[[,]];

- -C₁-C₃-alkyl-COORx;
- -C₁-C₃alkyl-ORx;
- -(O-C₁-C₃alkyl)_q-O-Rx:

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a 5 or 6 membered aromatic ring have 1-3 hetero atoms;

p and q are independently selected from 1 or 2;

Rx is independently selected from H, C₁-C₄ alkyl or acetyl; or a pair of Rx can together with the adjacent N atom form a pyrrolidine, piperidine, piperazine or morpholine ring;

R₂ is a substituent to a carbon atom in the ring containing A and is H, halo, cyano, C₁-C₄-alkyl, haloC₁-C₄-alkyl;

L is
$$-O$$
-, $-S(=O)_r$ - or $-CH_2$ -, where r is 0, 1 or 2;

 R_3 is H, C_1 - C_3 alkyl;

 R_4 - R_7 are independently selected from H, C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_2 - C_6 alkenyl, C_2 - C_6 alkynyl, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl, C_1 - C_6 alkanoyl, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, halo C_1 - C_6 alkoxy, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyl, halo C_1 - C_6 alkyloxy C_1 - C_6 alkyl, hydroxy C_1 - C_6 alkyl, amino C_1 - C_6 alkyl, amino C_1 - C_6 alkyl, carboxy C_1 - C_6 alkyl, cyano C_1 - C_6 alkyl, amino, carboxy, carbamoyl, cyano, halo, hydroxy, keto;

X is
$$-(CR_8R_8')_n$$
-D- $(CR_8R_8')_m$ -;

T is O or S;

D is a bond, $-NR_9$ -, -O-, -S-, -S(=O)- or -S(=O)₂-;

n and m are independently 0, 1 or 2, provided that they are not both 0 when D is a bond;

 R_8 and R_8 ' are independently H, C_1 - C_3 alkyl, halo C_1 - C_3 alkyl, hydroxy, or R_8 and R_8 ' together with their adjacent C atom is -C(=O)-

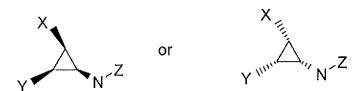
R₉ is independently H, C₁-C₃ alkyl;

and pharmaceutically acceptable salts and prodrugs thereof;

with the proviso that R_1 as -C(=O)Rb is not morpholinoketo-.

2. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein T is O.

- 3. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R₃ is H.
- 4. (Currently Amended) A compound according to claim 1, wherein the cyclopropyl moiety has an enantiomeric excess of the conformation depicted in the partial formulae:



where X is as defined, Y is the <u>bridge-bond</u> to the (substituted) phenyl ring depicted in formula I and Z is <u>the bond</u> to the (thio)urea-pyridyl moiety depicted in formula Z.

- 5. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 wherein the compound of formula Z comprises an enantiomeric excess of the isomer showing negative optical activity.
- 6. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein D is -O-
- 7. (Original) A compound according to claim 6, wherein n is 0 and m is 1.
- 8. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R4 is hydrogen, fluoro or hydroxy.
- 9. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R5 is hydrogen, fluoro, C1-3 alkylcarbonyl or C1-3alkyloxy.
- 10. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R6 is hydrogen, halo, C1-C3alkyloxy, C1-3alkylcarbonyl, cyano or ethynyl.

- 11. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 10, wherein R6 is hydrogen, methoxy or fluoro.
- 12. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R7 is hydrogen, cyano, halo, C1-3alkyloxy, or C1-3alkylcarbonyl.
- 13. (Original) A compound according to claim 12, wherein R7 is cyano, fluoro or acetyl.
- 14. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R5 and R6 are H and R4 and R7 are fluoro.
- 15. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R4 is fluoro, R5 and R6 are H, and R7 is cyano or acetyl.
- 16. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein L is -O-.
- 17. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R1 is -S(=O)2NRxRx, S(=O)2C1-C4 alkyl, or S(=O)C1-C4 alkyl.
- 18. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 17, wherein R1 is –S(=O)2NH2, S(=O)2NMe2 or –S(=O)2NH-cyclopropyl.
- 19. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 17, wherein R1 is -S(=O)2Me or S(=O)Me.

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- 20. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R1 is -C(=O)ORx, -C(=O)NRxRx, -C(=O)NHNRxRx or -C(=O)NHCH2COORx.
- 21. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 20, wherein R1 is –C(=O)OH, –C(=O)OMe, –C(=O)NH2, –C(=O)NHMe, –C(=O)NHNH2, –C(=O)NHCH2COOH.
- 22. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 20, wherein R1 is -C(=O)NRx'-N-morpholine, -C(=O)NRx'-N-piperidine, -C(=O)NRx'-N-pyrrolidine or -C(=O)NRx'-N-piperazine, where Rx is methyl, acetyl or preferably H.
- 23. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R1 is –NRxRx, –N(C=O)C1-C4-alkyl or -NHC(=O)CH2OC1-C3-alkyl-COORx.
- 24. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 23, wherein R1 is –NH2, -NHC(=O)Me or NHC(=O)CH2OCH2C(=O)OH.
- 25. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R1 is -C1-C3-alkyl-COORx; -C1-C3alkyl-ORx, -(O-C1-C3alkyl)q-O-Rx or a 5 membered ring having 1-3 hetero atoms.
- 26. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 25, wherein R1 is carboxyethyl or a methyl ester thereof, 2-methoxyethoxyethoxy or triazolyl.
- 27. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R1 is para to the ether linkage.

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- 28. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein the ring containing A is phenyl or pyrid-3-yl.
- 29. (Original) A compound according to claim 1, wherein R2 is hydrogen or fluoro.
- 30. (Original) A compound according to claim 1 where R2 is meta to the ether linkage.
- 31. (**Original**) A compound according to claim 1 denoted N-[(1S,1aR,7bR)-4,7-difluoro-1,1a,2,7b-tetrahydrocyclopropa[c]chromen-1-yl]-N'-[5-(4-(sulfonamido)phenoxy)-2-pyridinyl]urea

- 32. (**Original**) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a compound as defined in any preceding claim and a pharmaceutically acceptable vehicle or diluent therefor.
- 33. **(Original)** A composition according to claim 32, further comprising 1 to 3 additional HIV antivirals.
- 34. **(Original)** A composition according to claim 32, further comprising a cytochrome P450 modulator, such as ritonavir.

- 35. (**Previously Presented**) A method for the prophylaxis or treatment of HIV-1 infections comprising administering to an individual in need thereof an effective amount of the compound according to claim 1.
- 36. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 35, wherein the HIV-1 infection is a drug escape mutant.
- 37. (Previously Presented) The method according to claim 36, wherein the drug escape mutant comprises the L100I and K103N mutations.
- 38. (NEW) The method according to claim 35, wherein said compound is N-[(1S,1aR,7bR)-4,7-difluoro-1,1a,2,7b-tetrahydrocyclopropa[c]chromen-1-yl]-N'-[5-(4-(sulfonamido)phenoxy)-2-pyridinyl]urea

$$O_2N$$
 N
 O_2N
 O_3N
 O_3

39. (NEW) The method according to claim 35, wherein the administration is vaginal.